

INTELLIGENCE PRODUCERS COUNCIL

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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Deputy Director for Operations  
National Security Agency

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FROM:

Chairman, Intelligence Producers Council

SUBJECT:

Continued NSA Representation on the  
Intelligence Producers Council Staff

1. As I mentioned at the last IPC meeting, we expect to lose the services of [REDACTED] in mid-September. John McMahon has sent a note to Lincoln Faurer formally requesting another NSA representative for the IPC Staff (attachment). I would like to address the transition process with you in a little more detail.

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2. The administrative procedures, including polygraph, medical profile, and security indoctrinations, will normally take several weeks after DOD approval of an assignment. An effective turnover of projects requires at least two additional weeks. This suggests that [REDACTED] replacement should report to the IPC Staff during the first week of September 1984.

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3. It would be to our collective benefit if the NSA candidate has some familiarity with the IPC and current Staff projects. For this reason, I asked the IPC Staff to suggest someone at NSA who has worked with us. They have recommended [REDACTED] because he regularly participates in a number of projects with the IPC Staff, and has made important contributions to several IPC tasks.

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4. I appreciate your support in this matter.

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Richard J. Kerr

Attachment:  
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MEMORANDUM FOR: Lieutenant General Lincoln D. Faurer, USAF  
Director, National Security Agency

SUBJECT: Continued NSA Representation on the Intelligence  
Producers Council Staff

1. The rotational assignment of [ ] the NSA staff representative to the Intelligence Producers Council (IPC), will be completed in mid-September. During his time with the IPC, [ ] has participated in important Community activities, and has made significant contributions. His support to emergency planning is especially noteworthy, as is his work on a recent new project--a

[ ] In all of his work [ ] has demonstrated good judgment, a thorough understanding of the intelligence process, and a fine sensitivity to the various points of view of intelligence agencies.

2. The IPC has made considerable progress during the past two years in support of the DCI, the IC Staff, and the collection planners, as well as the intelligence producers. Much of the credit for our accomplishments goes to the IPC Staff, comprised of NSA, CIA, and DIA members, for their excellent conduct of day-to-day operations and liaison. [ ] has shown himself to be a very effective member of the staff. Since he is heavily involved in a number of projects, I invite you to select a successor for [ ] in sufficient time to permit an orderly turnover of responsibilities.

3. I very much appreciate your continued support of the Intelligence Producers Council.

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